

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	Confirmation No.: 7878
KOLZE <i>et al.</i>	Art Unit: 2616
Application No.: 10/809,685	Examiner: Leon T. Andrews
Filed: March 26, 2004	Atty. Docket: 1875.4070001
For: <b>Method and Apparatus for Maintaining Synchronization in a Communication System</b>	

**Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

*Mail Stop Amendment*

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated July 12, 2007, Applicants submit the following  
Amendment and Remarks.

*Amendments to the Claims* are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page  
**2** of this paper.

*Remarks and Arguments* begin on page **8** of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required  
beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper.  
However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this  
application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a),  
and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby  
authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.